

## Message Text

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ACTION COME-00

INFO OCT-01 ARA-10 ISO-00 EB-08 /019 W  
-----024735 311742Z /72

P 311613Z MAY 78  
FM AMEMBASSY PANAMA  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 7266

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: BENC, PN  
SUBJECT: MAJOR PROJECTS: LA FORTUNA HYDROELECTRIC:  
TURBINE GENERATOR TENDER

REF: PANAMA 3733

1. COM COUNSELOR INFORMED BY ASEA (REFTEL) RESIDENT REP  
MAY 31 THAT HIS COMPANY WON SUBJECT BID ACCORDING TO GOP  
EVALUATION COMMITTEE DECISION LATE MAY 30. THE APPROXI-  
MATELY 14 MILLION DOLS-CONTRACT EXPECTED TO BE SIGNED  
WITHIN NEXT TWO WEEKS.

2. COM COUNSELOR CONTACTED PROMPTLY WESTINGHOUSE'S  
CELUCCI (REFTEL). LATTER SAID HE WAS UNAWARE OF GOP  
DECISION AS HE WAS SCHEDULED TO MEET WITH IRHE ENGINEERS  
AFTERNOON MAY 31. HOWEVER, HE INDICATED THAT HE KNEW  
ASEA WAS ON TOP OF THE LIST.

3. EMBASSY REGRETS UNHAPPY OUTCOME FOR WESTINGHOUSE.  
UNFORTUNATELY EMBASSY'S ASSESSMENT WAS CORRECT (REFTEL  
PARA 4). JORDEN

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## Message Attributes

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